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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
HAVING A HIGH-K GATE
DIELECTRIC**

Examiner: Novacek, Christy L.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Examiner Novacek:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed December 20, 2005. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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